Sri D. B. KALMANKAR.—Is it not a fact that a proposal was sent by the Police Station, Aland, for construction of the Police Quarters and Police Station?

†Sri MANIKRAO PATIL.—The strength of the Police Station at Aland, Gulbarga District: is one Circle Inspector, one Sub-Inspector, one Assistant Sub-Inspector, five Head Constables and 44 Constables, and quarters have to be provided to them. A plot had been selected earlier. But, subsequently it was found to be insufficient and also uasuitable. Later on, another plot has been selected. Now, we have directed the District Superintendent of Police, Gulbarga, to obtain a certificate of avilability of the land on engineering and hygenic points of view. After obtaining the certificate. We will take further steps in the matter.

Land for Location of Industrial Estate in Chitradurga Town

277. Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Harihar).—

Will the Minister for Industries, Information and Publicity be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether any land is reserved for locating an Industrial Estate in Chitradurga Town and if so, its acreage;

(*b*) whether there is any proposal before Government to construct any building for locating an Industrial Estate in that land;

(*c*) whether any privately owned Educational Institution in Chitradurga Town has asked for transfer of this land in its favour for locating a College building;

(*d*) if so, whether Government has taken any decision in that behalf?

Sri A. P. APPANNA (Deputy Minister for Industries),—

(*a*) Yes, 10 acres in Medehally.

(*b*) No.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) No.

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Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—May I know, when this land is taken up for locating an Industrial Estate? Why no action has been taken so far in furtherance of it?

Sri A. P. APPANNA.—If the hon. Member remember we had taken a decision in 1968 that in certain areas where we thought of constructing Industrial Estates not to go ahead with the same because of the fact that we found that the response for this Industrial Estate was not good. But now it has been written by the Assistant Director of Industries, Chitradurga that there is a demand and we are calling the names of entrepreneurs and after a list is received, the State Government will take a decision to provide Industrial development area to the entrepreneurs.

Sri H. V. KOUJALGI.—Sir, as regads held over question No. 77 I want a little more time to reply to the question. From Tumkur certain information was not made available and this was brought to my notice by the hon. Member and I have called for the information and it might be received to-day evening. In any case, I will answer it tomorrow.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Alright. The question is held-over.

Now short notice question No. 13.

SHORT NOTICE QUESTION AND ANSWER

Fine levied by the Irrigation Officer on Turkandoni and Purthipli villagers under Irrigation Act

13. Sri M. NAGAPPA (Raichur).—

Will the Minister for Revenue be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether the raiyats of village Turkandoni and Purthipli, who have raised their crop under the minor irrigation projects (Private and public) *i.e.*, irrigation wells (Private) and tanks, have been levied maximum fine by the irrigation officer under Section 28 (5) of the Irrigation Act ;

(*b*) whether it is a fact that the Deputy Commisssioner, Raichur as per the request of the Irrigation Officer, ordered the Tahsildar, Raichur to recover the fine by coercive methods very recently, and even attached the produce and standing crop of the land ;

(*c*) whether the Government would issue immediate orders to stay the recovery of fines and appoint an officer to enquire into the matter ?

Sri H. V. KOUJALGI (Minister for Revenue).—

(*a*) No penalty has been levied under section 28 (5) of the Irrigation Act.

(*b*) and (*c*) Do not arise in view of reply to (*a*).